## State of Wisconsin/Department of Transportation RESEARCH PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING: December 31, 2003

Program: SPR-0010(37) FFY2003	Part: II Research and Development
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WisDOT Technical Contact: Deb Bischoff Approved by COR/Steering Committee: Project Investigator (agency & contact): Deb Bischoff - WisDOT	<b>Approved Starting Date:</b> 6 July 1999 <b>Approved Ending Date:</b> 31 December 2004
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**Description:** The primary objective of this study is to determine if Italgrip is a suitable and cost-effective technique to enhance the safety and/or drainage characteristics of Wisconsin's roadways. The evaluation of this product will encompass laboratory tests, accident investigations, and in-situ field tests/inspections.

Total study budget	Current FFY budget	Expenditures for current quarter	Total Expenditures to date
\$125,000			

Progress This Quarter: (Includes project committee mtgs, work plan status, contract status, significant progress, etc.)

No work this quarter. This study is about 70% complete.

## **Work Next Quarter:**

Calculate % loss of Italgrip surface on all project sites. Start sifting through accident data.

Circumstances affecting progress/budget: None